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SUBJECT: IVP: DUSAN BILANDZIC

REF: STATE 208373

1. SEPTEMBER SEVEN PROGRAMING DATE OK FOR BILANDZIC. HE
ARRIVING SEPTEMBER 6, VIA PA-67, AT 17:10.

2. BIODATA AS FOLLOWS: NAME: DR. DUSAN BILANDZIC; BORN JULY 20,
1924, AT MALJKOVO, SINJ, YUGOSLAVIA. YUGOSLAV CITIZEN. MARRIED.

3. EDUCATION: PHD. FROM UNIVERSITY OF BELGRADE, 1965.

4. PRESENT POSITION: DEAN, FACULTY OF POLITICAL SCIENCE,
UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB. ASSOCIATE PROFESSOR, FACULTY OF
POLITICAL SCIENCE (THEORY AND PRACTICE OF SELF-MANAGEMENT).
MEMBER, CENTRAL COMMITTEE, LEAGUE OF COMMUNISTS OF CROATIA.

5. PAST POSITION: DIRECTOR, CENTER FOR SCIAL STUDIES,
PRESIDENCY OF LEAGUE OF COMMUNISTS OF YUGOSLAVIA, BELGRADE.

6. OFFICE ADDRESS: LEPUSICEVA 6, 41000 ZAGREB. HOME AND
EMERGENCY ADDRESS: NAZOROVA 43-A, 41000 ZAGREB.

7. PREVIOUS TRAVEL: NEVER TO US.

8. KNOWLEDGE OF ENGLISH: UNDERSTANDS WELL BUT SPEAKS RELUCTANTLY.
REQUIRES SERBO-CROATIAN ESCORT-INTERPRETER.

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9. GRANTEE'S SUGGESTIONS FOR PROGRAMMING: BILANDZIC WISHES VISIT SEVERAL US UNIVERSITIES SUCH AS STANFORD, JOHNS HOPKINS, MIT; CONVERSE WITH US POLITICIANS; TALK WITH OFFICIALS OF LARGE ECONOMIC ENTERPRISE ABOUT THE ORGANIZATION OF PRODUCTION; VISIT A FARM; VISIT HOUSTON SPACE CENTER. WISHES END PROGRAM IN NEW YORK WHERE HE PLANS PRIVATE VISIT FOR SEVERAL DAYS.

10. POST SUGGESTIONS FOR PROGRAMMING; IN VIEW OF DEVELOPING RELATIONSHIP BETWEEN JHU AND UNIVERSITY OF ZAGREB, BELIEVE IT IMPORTANT FOR BILANDZIC TO MEET OFFICIALS OF JOHNS HOPKINS, BOTH BALTIMORE AND DC CAMPUSES. AT MIT CENTER FOR INTERNATIONAL STUDIES, HE SHOULD MEET PROFESSOR WILLIAM GRIFFITH. SINCE BILANDZIC'S SPECIALTY IS SELF-MANAGEMENT, PERHAPS HE COULD BE ENTICED INTO GIVING LECTURE OR ROUND-TABLE ON THIS TOPIC TO INTERESTED SPECIALISTS. HE SHOULD CERTAINLY HAVE CHANCE TO MEET WITH WELL-KNOWN EXPERTS THIS FIELD.

11. WHILE IN WASHINGTON, HE SHOULD VISIT CONGRESS, PERHAPS MEET CONGRESSMEN, SENATORS, TALK TO STAFF MEMBERS. VISIT TO LIBRARY OF CONGRESS ALSO IN ORDER. HE SHOULD MEET WITH THEORETICIANS AND PRACTITIONERS OF POLITICS, US VARIETY, AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE. WOULD BE USEFUL FOR HIM TO ATTEND PRESIDENTIAL CAMPAIGN EVENTS, TALK TO CANDIDATES' OR PARTIES' ADVISORS OR CAMPAIGN ORGANIZERS. IN VIEW OF HIS INTEREST IN FINDING OUT HOW LARGE COMPANY WORKS, SUGGEST HE MEET WITH BLUE AND WHITE COLLAR WORKERS, PERHAPS EVEN SHOP-STEWARDS AND LOCAL LEVEL UNION OFFICIALS WITH FIRM SUCH AS GENERAL MOTORS IN DETROIT.

12. GRANTEE SHOULD VISIT MAJOR CULTURAL CENTERS AS TIME ALLOWS INCLUDING WASHINGTON, NEW YORK, SAN FRANCISCO, NEW ORLEANS, ATLANTA, CHICAGO.
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